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April 16, 2020

Honorable Paul G. Gardephe  
United States District Judge  
Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

Re: Lam v. NYC DOE, 18-cv-2756 (PGG)

Dear Judge Gardephe,

NYLAG represents plaintiff Jeanine Lam for the limited scope purpose of settlement. I am writing with the consent of Amanda Blair, counsel for defendant to request a 30-day extension of the time to reopen the case from April 17, 2020 until May 16, 2020. This is plaintiff's second request.

Upon notice that the parties had reached a settlement in principle, Your Honor issued an Order, dated February 14, 2020, dismissing the case without prejudice to either party seeking a 30-day leave to reopen the case if the settlement was not finalized (ECF #38). The parties have been diligently working to finalize the details of a material term which also requires the approval from a special department within the Department of Education. While we continue to await the expected final approval, plaintiff respectfully requests the proposed extension.

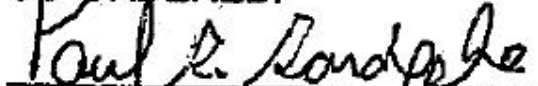
Respectfully submitted,

Susanne Toes Keane

**MEMO ENDORSED**

**The Application is granted.**

**SO ORDERED:**

  
Paul G. Gardephe, U.S.D.J.

**Dated:** April 17, 2020